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Division of Licensing Programs

SUBJECT: Medication Training Updates - Requirements for Child Day Programs

Beginning October 1, 2013, all facilities that care for children requiring medications for diabetes, including insulin and glucagon, must have completed the ***MAT Diabetes in Child Care Settings*** course prior to administering these medications.

The *MAT Diabetes in Child Care Settings* course is a classroom based training offered by Medical Home Plus. Providers can find the latest information about this course and how to register at: <http://www.medhomeplus.org/MAT/index.php>.

Due to technical issues, the launch of the ***MAT Administration of Emergency Rectal Medications in Child Care Programs*** course has been delayed. The online course is expected to be available within the next two weeks. Because of this unforeseen delay in the launch of the online course, the deadline for obtaining certification for this course has been extended to November 1, 2013. Providers can find the latest information about The *MAT Administration of Emergency Rectal Medications in Child Care Programs* course at: <http://www.medhomeplus.org/MAT>.

If you need assistance with course registration or with finding a class to meet this requirement, please contact Medical Home Plus at MAT@medhomeplus.org or call MHP at 804-330-5030.